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CARE OF VACCINATION.

Infection Which May Set In If Proper Caution Is Not Used—What to Do.

The occurrence of several cases of lockjaw following vaccination has recently alarmed a good many persons, who assumed that the poison was in the vaccine matter; but the disease was really the result of a secondary infection of the vaccination wound with the germ of lockjaw, says the Youth's Companion.

A similar, but fortunately less serious infection occurs when the arms are very sore and inflamed, the germs in this case being those of pus formation, instead of lockjaw. In other instances erysipelas microbes have invaded the vaccine wound, with the result that a very serious illness has occurred where at the most only a slight inconvenience was to be looked for.

Smallpox is such a fearful disease, and vaccination, when properly done, is in the main so good a protection, that any universal distrust and consequent abandonment of vaccination would be nothing short of disastrous. On this point we must accept the unanimous testimony of the best-educated physicians when opposed by the opinions of a comparatively small number of earnest and honest, but not scientifically trained individuals.

As a matter of fact, since the use of animal vaccine has supplanted the old arm-to-arm vaccination, there is no danger of inoculating any kind of disease with the vaccine. Such inoculation, when it occurs, comes later, usually in consequence of neglect or mistreatment of the vaccination wound.

Shields are useful in their time, but are a source of great danger when worn too long. A shield may be worn for a day or two, but not longer. Then it should be replaced by a little pad of absorbent cotton impregnated with boric acid, a fresh piece being applied morning and night and retained in place by a bandage, sticking-plaster or collodion. This dressing can be employed just as well as from the first instead of the shield, time being allowed for the place to become perfectly dry before the cotton is applied.

If the arm becomes inflamed, especially if matter is oozing from the sore, it should be cleansed frequently by trickling over it a stream of boiled (not boiling) water, and then applying a pad of cotton wet with boric acid solution. The physician who performed the operation should always see the arm within a week in any case, and earlier if the part becomes sore.

If cleanliness is observed and the sore is not allowed to fester for days under a shield, neither lockjaw nor any other serious disease need be feared.

A JAPANESE INCENSE PARTY.

Five Points of Etiquette Observed by Participants in a Curious and Interesting Ceremony.

If you ever receive an invitation to a Japanese incense party accept it promptly and thankfully. It has no counterpart in our own social system, and is as merry and pleasant an affair as can be imagined. The people of the Mikado's land have trained the nostrils for generations the same as we have trained the eye and ear, and they display a skill which at times is startling to a westerner. There is an odd etiquette to be followed in these social affairs. For the 24 hours preceding the party, each guest must avoid the use of anything which can produce any odor whatever. Scented soaps, perfumes, odorous foods, and even spices must be avoided. These prevent the user from smelling accurately and also interfere with the other members of the party, says the New York Post.

When you dress be careful to put on no garment that has been kept in the neighborhood of camphor wood, tobacco, bouquets, dried blossoms, or scented face powder. When you reach the house of your host enter it as softly as you can, and as slowly as possible. This is to prevent making a draught by the movement of your own body. Be equally leisurely in opening and closing doors, as a quick movement induces a sudden rush of air. In the drawing-room the hostess burns a series of incenses usually four or five in number. Each guest is allowed to take three sniffs of each incense and must then jot down its name and number upon a card. Each of the four or five incenses is burned two or three times, so that the number of cards will vary from eight to fifteen. At the end the cards are laid out on the table and the hostess reads the names of the incenses employed, which are checked off upon the cards. The guest who has guessed the largest number receives a pretty prize, which is sometimes a silver or bronze incense-burner, statuette, or carving. Among the Japanese the average woman guesses correctly about six times in ten, while with American women the ratio is three in ten. Occasionally, however, American women display a natural talent in this line, and make records of eight and nine in ten. There is a large Japanese colony in New York, and among the wives of the leading merchants these parties are quite common.

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A FOWL TIP. If you have a bird afflicted with Roup or any other poultry disease use Mexican Mustang Liniment. It is called a STANDARD remedy by poultry breeders.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY virtue of a certain Trust Deed, executed by William M. Robertson, of the county of Chickasaw and state of Mississippi, on the 15th day of February, 1902, to C. M. Savage, as trustee to secure the payment of fifty-six certain promissory notes in favor of The Phillips & Buttrick Manufacturing Company, of the county of Davidson, in the state of Tennessee, which Trust Deed was duly recorded in Houston, Mississippi, on the 8th day of March, 1902, in Book 74, pages 83-86, on the following lands situated in the city of Okolona, Chickasaw county, Mississippi, to-wit:

Lot number eighty (88) eight, eighty (89) nine, and ninety (90), all in block number five (5) according to Title's survey of the city of Okolona, in county of Chickasaw, state of Mississippi, together with all appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Therefore, default having been made in payment of said notes as provided in said Trust Deed, in accordance with the provisions of the Trust Deed, I will, after thirty (30) days notice of the place and date of sale, proceed to sell, in front of the court house door, in the city of Okolona, Chickasaw county, Mississippi, on the

26th day of August, 1902,

between the legal hours of said day, the above described lands to the highest bidder for cash. I believe the title to the above lands is good, but I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Trustee.

C. M. SAVAGE, Trustee.

Dated at Okolona, Miss., July 16, 1902.



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HINTS TO HOUSEKEEPERS.

How to Clean Carpets and Sterilize Milk—Two Recipes for the Cook.

Here is a receipt to clean carpets which has been tested and will no doubt be found equally satisfactory, says the Boston Budget. Boil together until dissolved eight ounces of borax, eight ounces of washing soda and three pounds of white soap in four gallons of water. When ready to use, add two gallons of water, four ounces of alcohol and two ounces of ammonia to one-half of the mixture as first prepared. After it is thus diluted, wipe the carpet over with this, using a scrub brush on stains and very dirty spots; afterwards wipe over with a clean cloth wrung out of clean water.

To sterilize milk wash thoroughly with hot water and bicarbonate of soda the bottles to be used. Fill the bottles to the neck with pure, fresh milk. Cork them with absorbent cotton, and place in a pan or pot partly filled with cold water, taking care that there is not so much water as to prevent their standing firm. Bring the milk gradually to a boil; boil three minutes, and then stand the bottles aside to cool. When cold, prepare according to directions with sterilized water, milk of sugar, salt and lime water.

A delicate preparation of oatmeal that an invalid will enjoy requires that the cereal shall be boiled first for about an hour, as if it were to be served for breakfast. Remove from the fire and rub it through a fine sieve. Add a little milk and cook it very slowly in a double boiler for half an hour longer. When perfectly smooth, flavor with salt, and add a very little cream before serving.

A cream mayonnaise, in which butter is substituted for oil, is made by mixing in the inner vessel of a porcelain-lined double boiler a large tablespoonful of butter, four tablespoonfuls of vinegar, a half-teaspoonful of salt and a half-teaspoonful of dry mustard. When thoroughly mixed put the vessel in its saucepan filled with boiling water, and set over the fire. Stir the mixture carefully till very hot, when two well-beaten eggs may be added, the whole stirred until thick. Add a half pint of cream, stir, take from the fire, and allow to get perfectly cold. This is a good dressing for chicken or sweetbread salad.

PARNELL AS AN ASSAYER.

The Famous Statesman Calmly Tested Gold Ore at the Most Exciting Period of His Life.

Henniker Heaton, in "The Leisure Hour," tells the following characteristic story of Charles Stewart Parnell, showing the latter's power of detachment. "He came into the house of parliament one afternoon when the fiercest excitement prevailed regarding the publication by the Times of the forged Pigott letters. He in a short speech denied the authorship of the letters and then walked into the lobby and engaged me in earnest conversation. Everybody thought he was telling me of the awful political event then stirring men's minds. This is what he said to me: 'I have just read in the afternoon papers that a mountain of gold has been discovered in western Australia, and that some tons of the specimens have been sent home to you.'

"I replied that it was true, and that I had in my locker in the house some of the crushed specimens. We proceeded to get them, and I gave him about a wineglassful of the 'crushing.' He took it away with him, and to the bewilderment of his party no one saw him for a week, and very few indeed knew his address.

"On that day week, Mr. Heaton proceeds, 'almost at the same hour he again appeared in the lobby. Walking up to me he said, smilingly: 'I have analyzed the specimens, and they go 33 ounces of gold to the ton.' I said he was wrong. He then took from his pocket a scrap of paper and read: 'Twenty-seven ounces of gold and five ounces of silver.' I replied that this was indeed remarkable, for it exactly coincided with the analysis of Johnston, Matthey & Co., the famous metallurgists. Parnell then showed me the small point's point of gold he had obtained. I expressed surprise at his work. He said: 'The fact is, I take an interest in the matter. I have a small workshop to test the minerals in the mountains of Wicklow, some portion of which I own.' The astonishing thing is that while his hundreds of thousands of adherents were fulminating against the Times he was quietly working away testing minerals in his laboratory."

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He Was Right.

The militiaman was undergoing an examination for a non-commissioned officer.

"What do the army regulations make the first requisite in order that a man may be buried with military honors?" was the question fired at him.

"Death?" he promptly responded.

And after mature reflection the examining committee held that he was right.—Tit-Bits.

Treasures.

She—O, you treasure.

He—No, dear; I'm the treasury; I hold the treasure.—Detroit Free Press.

His Majesty's Inconvenience.

The king observed the other day that one of the inconveniences of being a monarch was that he could no longer use his clubs. But numbers of his male friends are asked to come to Marlborough house, and more than once, when some very intimate associate of olden times is writing his name at the lodge, the liveried servant will say: "I am desired by his majesty to telephone you you come in. Will you wait until I see whether it is his pleasure to see you?" In this way the king keeps in the closest touch with social movements.—Liverpool Post.

Placing His Trouble.

Hunter (after another miss).—Darn the luck! I don't know what can be the matter with this gun.

The Diplomatic Guide.—They kin talk as they like, sir, but nothin' kin make me believe this here smokeless powder is as good as the old-fashioned kind.—Puck.

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Of Interest to Stockholders.—Free Transportation to Attend the Special and Annual Meeting at Chicago.

Public notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Illinois Central Railroad Company will be held at the Company's office in Chicago, Illinois, on Friday, August 29, 1902, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon; also that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Company will be held at its offices in Chicago, Illinois, on Wednesday, October 15, 1902, at noon.

To permit personal attendance at these meetings there will be issued to each holder of one or more shares of the capital stock of the Illinois Central Railroad Company as registered on the books of the Company at the close of business on Friday, August 1, 1902, and to stockholders of record on Friday, September 19, 1902, a ticket enabling him, or her, to travel free over the Company's Lines from the station on the Illinois Central Railroad nearest to his or her registered address to Chicago and return, such ticket to be good for the journey to Chicago only during the four days immediately preceding, and the day of the meeting, and for the return journey from Chicago only on the day of the meeting, and the four days immediately following, when properly countersigned and stamped during business hours—that is to say between 9:00 a. m. and 5:00 p. m.—in the office of the Assistant Secretary, Mr. W. G. Bruen, in Chicago. Such ticket may be obtained by any holder of stock registered as above, on application in writing, to the President of the Company in Chicago. Each application must state the full name and address of the stockholder exactly as given in his or her certificate of stock, together with the number of such certificate. No more than one person will be carried free in respect to any one holding of stock as registered on the book of the Company.

A. G. HACKETT, Secretary.

National Encampment G. A. R. Washington D. C. October 8th-11th 1902;

For the occasion of National Encampment of G. A. R. Washington D. C. October 8th to 11th, Southern Railway will sell tickets to Washington and return at extremely low rates, October 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th final limit for return October 15th and on payment of fee of 50c an extension of final limit until November 3rd, 1902 may be obtained.

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